Thermometer.—The average readings of the thermometer at Shimoga were 78·8 at 9-30 A. M. and 84·1 at 3-30 P. M.

Seeds sown.—Paddy, ragi, black gram, green gram, menthya, oil-seeds, yellu, togari, avare, sugar-cane, jola and navane.

Condition of Crops.—Generally good.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane was milled in the Sagar Taluk.

Health.—Indifferent. Cholera is still prevalent in some villages of the Honnali Taluk.

Lands.—Lands assessed at Rs. 5,435—14—0 were taken up for cultivation and those at Rs. 333—10—0 were relinquished during the month.

Prices.—Stationary.

SYED NASIRUDDIN,
for *Dy. Commr.*

KOLAR DISTRICT.

NOTIFICATION.

The 10th July 1885.

It is hereby notified for public information that the right to collect kuranga or whet stones in the Government unoccupied lands in the Goribidnur Taluk of the Kolar District for the year 1885—86 will be sold by public auction at Kolar before the Deputy Commissioner or General Assistant Commissioner on the 19th August 1885 at 12 noon.

The purchaser will be required to deposit 25 per cent of the purchase money at the time of the sale, and the remainder of the purchase money together with the prescribed local cess on the whole amount at one anna in the rupee within 7 days from the date of his being informed by the Deputy Commissioner of the confirmation of the sale, failing which the amount deposited shall be liable to forfeiture. When such deposit shall not be made, nor the remaining purchase money paid up, the right shall be resold at the expense and risk of the first purchaser.

Persons bidding at the sale should state whether they bid on their own account or as agents, and in the latter case should produce authority signed by their principals; otherwise their bids will be rejected.

The sale will not become absolute, until it has been confirmed by the Dewan.

C. SOOB RAO,
Dy. Commr.

Abstract of Meteorological Reports received from Head-Quarters of Districts and Sub-Divisions in the Province of Mysore, for the fortnight ending 30th June 1885.

HEAD-QUARTERS.	Thermometer. Averages for the half month. 9-30 A. M. Dry bulb.	9-30 A. M. Wet bulb.	9-30 A. M. Difference.	3-30 P. M. Dry bulb.	3-30 P. M. Wet bulb.	3-30 P. M. Difference.	Thermometer. Maximum.	Thermometer. Minimum.	Rain. Inches.	Rain. Cents.	Wind.
Kolar ...	73	...	...	77	...	...	...	...	...	89	S. W.
Shimoga ...	78	...	...	82	...	...	...	...	1	45	S. W.
Hassan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	...
Kadur ...	69	65	4	71	66	5	73	64	1	62	...
Chitaldroog ...	77	...	...	78	...	...	...	...	...	45	N. E. & S. W.
Tumkur* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mysore* ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

*Information not received.